

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:	)	
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Shintarou MIKAMI <i>et al.</i>	)	Art Unit: 3732
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Application No.: 10/525,734	)	Examiner: Sunil K. SINGH
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Filing Date: February 28, 2005	)	Attorney Ref. No.: FP3002-0035
	)	
For: TOOTHBRUSH	)	Confirmation No.: 2556
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2009, the time period for response being extended to April 6, 2009 by a Petition for One Month Extension of Time filed herewith, Applicant provides the following response:

**Election in Response to Election of Species** begins at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin at page 3 of this paper.